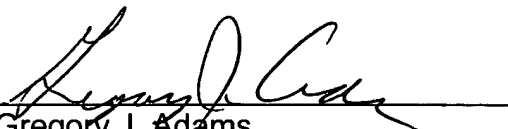


REMARKS

Claims 78-81 have been added, claims 41-61 have been canceled, thus claims 62-81 are now pending.

Applicants respectfully submit that the present application is in condition for allowance. The Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned to resolve efficiently any formal matters or to discuss any aspects of the application or of this response. Otherwise, early notification of allowable subject matter is respectfully solicited.

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